GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services - Chittoor District - Sri Abdul Munaff, Tahsildar (Retd), Chittoor District - Violation of APCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964 - Departmental proceedings under rule 20 of A.P.C.S. (CC & A) Rules, 1991 r/w Rule 9 of A.P.R.P.Rules, 1980 - Articles of charges - Issued.

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REVENUE (VIGILANCE.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.1152 Dated:14.12.2023.

Read the following:-

1. Memo.No.1020609/ Legal.II/A1/2019, Home (Legal.II) Dept, Dt:02.09.2020
2. G.O.Ms.No.589, Rev (Vig.III) Dept, Dt:14.12.2023.

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ORDER:

In pursuance of the sanction accorded in the reference 2nd read above, it is proposed to hold an enquiry against Sri Abdul Munaff, Tahsildar, Chittoor District (Retd) in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehavior in respect of which the enquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of Articles of charges (Annexure–I). A statement of imputations of misconduct or misbehavior in support of each article of charge is enclosed (Annexure-II). A list of documents by which, and a list of witnesses by whom, the articles of charges are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure - III & IV).

3. Sri Abdul Munaff, Tahsildar (Retd) is directed to submit, within 10 days of the receipt of this order, a written statement of his defense.

4. Sri Abdul Munaff, Tahsildar (Retd) is informed that an enquiry will be held only in respect of those articles of charges as are not admitted. He should therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.

5. Sri Abdul Munaff, Tahsildar (Retd) is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defense on or before the date specified in Para–3 above, further action will be processed based on the material available.

6. Attention of Sri Abdul Munaff, Tahsildar (Retd) is invited to Rule 24 of A.P.C.S (Conduct) Rules 1964, under which no Government servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interests in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt with in these proceedings it will be presumed that Sri Abdul Munaff, Tahsildar (Retd) is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

G.SAI PRASAD
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

To:
Sri Abdul Munaff, Tahsildar, Chittoor District (Retd) (through Collector & District Magistrate, Chittoor).
The Collector & District Magistrate, Chittoor.

Copy to :
The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P, Mangalagiri.
The TR & B Department,
The Home Department,
Sf/Sc.

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ANNEXURE - I

ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI ABDUL MUNAFF, TAHSILDAR, CHITTOOR DISTRICT (RETD)

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Article of Charge:

That Sri Abdul Munaff, S/o Late D.S. Ibrahim, Ex-HC-319, Chittoor District, was appointed under compassionate grounds vide Rc.No. A3/2941/82, dated 5.4.1982 in the O/o. the District Collector, Chittoor. Later, Sri D.S. Abdul Rawoof, another son of Sri D.S. Ibrahim, HC-319, Chittoor District (deceased employee) was also appointed as Record Assistant on compassionate grounds, vide D.O.No.693/1983, dt:11.07.1983. Sri Abdul Munaff S/o Late D.S. Ibrahim with his malafide intention has hide the facts in getting the benefit of compassionate appointment by his brother even though he has already availed the same benefit and cheated the Government, in violation of APCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964. Hence, the Charge.

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SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

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ANNEXURE - II

STATEMENT OF IMPUTATIONS OF MISCONDUCT OR MISBEHAVIOR IN SUPPORT OF ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI ABDUL MUNAFF, TAHSILDAR, CHITTOOR DISTRICT (RETD)

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It has been brought to the notice of the Government that the Director General of Police, A.P., vide his letter dt.13.5.2019 has stated that several petitions were received on the appointment of Sri D.S. Abdul Rawoof, S/o. Late D.S. Ibrahim, Ex-Head Constable-319, Chittoor District. Accordingly, enquiries were conducted on the allegations pertaining to appointment of the above individual and in the enquiry, it was noticed that Sri D.S. Ibrahim worked as Head Constable No.319 in Chittoor District and died on 13.01.1982. After death of the above HC-319, his son Sri, D.S. Abdul Munaff was appointed under compassionate grounds vide Rc.No. A3/2941/82, dated 5.4.1982 in the O/o. the District Collector, Chittoor. Later, Sri D.S. Abdul Rawoof, another son of Sri D.S. Ibrahim, HC-319, Chittoor District (deceased employee) was also appointed as Record Assistant on compassionate grounds, vide D.O.No.693/1983, dt:11.07.1983 and later in the year 1984 he was re-appointed as Junior Assistant in District Police Office, Chittoor. Later he was transferred to Transport Department as Junior Assistant vide Rc. No.28128/B.1/1987, dated 16.09.1987 of the Dy.Transport Commissioner, Chittoor and presently he is working as Road Transport Officer in Proddutur, YSR Kadapa District (now retired on 31.1.2020).

Basing on the above facts it was clear that Sri Abdul Munaff, brother of Sri D.S. Abdul Rawoof was appointed under compassionate grounds, prior to the appointment of Sri D.S. Abdul Rawoof and he should be considered as an earning member of the family and hence the appointment of Sri D.S. Abdul Rawoof on compassionate grounds does not seem permissible. Further in the year 1987, Sri D.S. Abdul Rawoof was transferred to Transport Department. However, a letter was addressed the A.P. Transport Commissioner to take further action in the matter as per law and procedure, since the lien of Sri D.S. Abdul Rawoof with Police Department, was once and for all shifted to Transport Department from the date of his relief and also a Show Cause Notice was issued to Sri D.S. Abdul Rawoof seeking clarification from his compassionate appointment.

Sri D.S. Ibrahim while working as Head Constable in Chittoor District has expired on 13.01.1982 and his two sons i.e. Sri D.S. Abdul Munaff and Sri D.S. Adbul Rawoof were appointed under compassionate grounds in terms of instructions issued in G.O. Ms. No.687, GA (Ser.A) Dept., dated 03.10.1977 in Revenue Department and District Police Office, Chittoor respectively by violating the compassionate appointment rules, since they gained double benefited under deceased quota with malafide intention and cheated the Government, thereby causing deprived of getting a Government job by a needy candidate. Now the elder son Sri D.S. Abdul Munaff working as Tahsildar in O/o. the District Collector, Chittoor and younger brother Sri D.S. Abdul Rawoof who transferred subsequently in Transport Department now working as RTO, Proddutur. Both the above individuals were retired from service on 31.01.2020 on attaining the age of superannuation.

While stating the above the Home Dept, has requested the Revenue Dept and the TR&B Department to issue instructions to the Officers concerned under their

Administrative control to take immediate action for initiating the disciplinary action, besides stoppage of pensionary benefits in respect of Sri D.S.Abdul Munaf, D.S. Adbul Rawoof, Sons of Late D.S. Ibrahim, Ex-HC-319, Chittoor District, who were appointed on compassionate grounds under deceased quota illegally by violating the compassionate appointment rules and gained double benefited under said deceased quota, in terms of instructions issued in G.O. Ms. No.687, GA (Ser.A) Dept., dated 03.10.1977. Now both the individuals retired as Tahsildar in Revenue Department , Chittoor and RTO, Proddatur, Kadapa District in Transport Department on attaining the age of superannuation.

In view of the above circumstances, it is decided to initiate disciplinary proceedings besides criminal proceedings against Sri Abdul Munaff, Tahsildar (Retd) S/o D.S.Ibrahim, for his malafide intention in hiding facts in getting the benefit of compassionate appointment by his brother even though he has already availed the same benefit and cheated the Government.

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ANNEXURE - III

LIST OF DOCUMENTS BY WHICH THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI ABDUL MUNAFF, TAHSILDAR, CHITTOOR DISTRICT (RETD) ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUBSTANTIATED

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1. From the DGP, A.P, Mangalagiri, Lr.Rc.No.242/ME.3/2016, Dt:13.05.2019.
2. Memo.No.1020609/ Legal.II/A1/2019, Home (Legal.II) Dept, Dt:02.09.2020

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ANNEXURE - IV

LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHOM THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI ABDUL MUNAFF, TAHSILDAR, CHITTOOR DISTRICT (RETD) ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUBSTANTIATED

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